

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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S E C R E T TEHRAN 7799

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILI, MASS, IR, JO

SUBJ: ARMS TRANSFER TO JORDAN

REFS:(A) TEHRAN 7532;(B) STATE 186163

1. REGRET THAT REF(A) APPARENTLY GAVE DEPARTMENT ERRONEOUS IMPRESSION OF AUGUST 4 MEETING WITH GENERAL TOUFANIAN AND WHAT HE AGREED TO DO. IN FACT, ON ORDERS FROM SHAH HE AGREED TO STOP FURTHER SHIPMENTS OF U.S.-SUPPLIED EQUIPMENT TO JORDAN UNTIL APPROVAL OF USG OBTAINED AND TO CONSULT WITH US IN ADVANCE IF IN FUTURE THERE IS SIMILAR QUESTION REGARDING NECESSITY FOR U.S. APPROVAL. TOUFANIAN FULLY UNDERSTANDS U.S. POLICY ON THIRD-COUNTRY TRANSFERS AND HAS INSTRUCTED HIS SUBORDINATES TO COMPLY.

2. RE PARA 2 REF(B), TOUFANIAN DID NOT IMPLY REQUIREMENT FOR USG APPROVAL WAS MATTER OF CONSULTATION RATHER THAN BILATERAL COMMITMENT. HE USED TERM "CONSULT WITH U.S." IN SENSE OF DETERMINING WHAT IS REQUIRED BY USG BEFORE PARTICULAR TRANSFER CAN TAKE PLACE.  
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